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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to applicant's papers of 31 August 2005.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-38,40-82 and 84-93.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
  - a) ☐ All    b) ☐ Some\*    c) ☐ None    of the:
    1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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    3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

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    - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review ( PTO-948) attached
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

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1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08),  
Paper No./Mail Date 31 August 2005
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit  
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5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),  
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7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☐ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

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The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. Applicant's IDS of 31 August 2005, and the copies of PCT documents submitted therewith have been reviewed. These documents are from PCT/IL2005/000331, against which applicant's own PCT publication, WO 03/017392, has been cited as the only "X" reference. Since this is applicant's own disclosure, arising from PCT/IL02/00683, it does not constitute prior art against the present application. Of the references marked as "Y", WO 98/56458 and WO 00/62362 disclose the use of printing as a method of depositing electrode materials, but not the process of self-forming an interfacial separator layer within an electrolyte layer from components within the electrolyte solutions in the two electrode ("pole") layers. The references US 2003/0059673 and US 2003/0070283, also marked as "Y", are filed too recently to be prior art against the present application.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Stephen J. Kalafut whose telephone number is 571-272-1286. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri 8:00 am-4:30 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Patrick J. Ryan can be reached on 571-272-1292. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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